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Attorney Docket No. 046601-5059

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Tomoyasu MATSUZAKI et al.	)	
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Application No.: Unassigned	)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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Filed: August 18, 2000	)	Examiner: Unassigned
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For: IMAGE PROCSSING DEVICE, IMAGE	)	
PROCESSING SYSTEM, OUTPUT DEVICE,	)	
COMPUTER READABLE RECORDING	)	
MEDIUM AND IMAGE PROCESSING	)	
METHOD	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 9, line 25, change "Fig. 16 is a block diagram" to --Figs. 16A and 16B are block diagrams--;

Page 10, line 1, change "Fig. 17 is a block diagram" to --Figs. 17A and 17B are block diagrams--;

line 8, change "Fig. 20 is a block diagram" to --Figs. 20A and 20B are block diagrams--;